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DIARY NOTES

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1. I attended a briefing at the National Photographic Interpretation Center for Dave Bell, Kenneth Hansen, and other members of the Bureau of the Budget Staff. Art Lundahl did his usual superb job, and I think that they all were extremely well impressed; in fact, I would say that we could get most any amount of money we needed to carry on the program prescribed by DPD yesterday and NPIC today.

2. Shef Edwards tipped me off that he had received a communication from the Inspector General growing out of an appeal to the IG by TSD employees who wanted to form a union. I also learned that the Director of Personnel and the General Counsel had received similar communications, and I asked that their replies be routed through me.

3. Mr. Dulles telephoned again to talk about the Alumni Association. He said that he had given some thought to this and that we might approach the problem in two different ways: One approach would be to have a very select list of people with whom we know that we want to maintain contact; (The dealings with this group would be very quiet, perhaps even covert.) the second approach would be to leave all others to the Veterans of Strategic Services. Mr. Dulles thought that they might be willing to open up their rolls to all retirees of CIA. He then suggested that I talk to Mr. Kirkpatrick about this and that we get together sometime soon. (I have talked to Kirk and want to arrange a meeting with him, Mr. Dulles, and Emmett Echols very soon.) *H*

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